

# **School Funding in Ohio**

John Espy, Treasurer February 28, 2023



July	August	September	October	November	December	January	February	March	April	May	June
					Fiscal Year						



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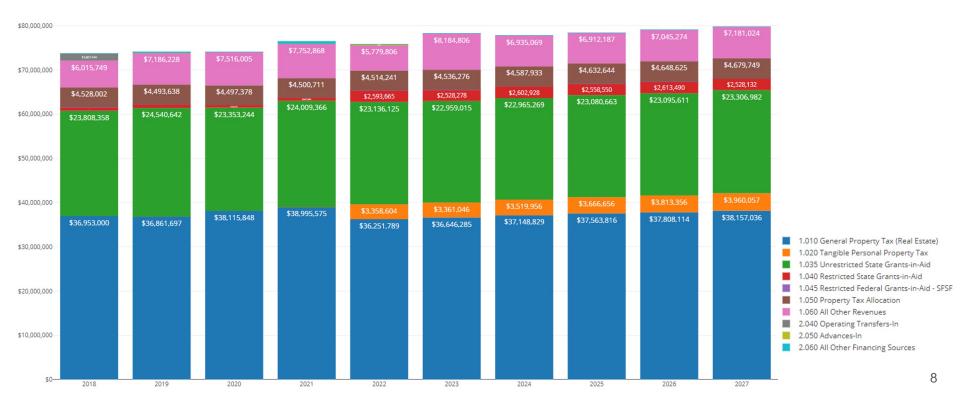


## Breakdown of Funding Sources General Fund



001	<b>General</b> (Five Year Forecast)
002	Bond Retirement
003	Permanent Improvement
006	Food Service
009	Uniform School Supplies
018	Public School Support
200s	Student Managed Activities
300s	District Managed Activities
400s	State Grants
500s	Federal Grants







### **General Property**

• Property Tax Revenue

### **Tangible Personal Property**

Machinery and Equipment, Furniture and Fixtures, Inventories

### **Unrestricted State Grants**

• State monies that can be spent on any type of expenditure in the district

### **Restricted State Grants**

- State monies that are earmarked for specific expenditures
  - DPIA Economic Disadvantaged
  - Success and Wellness



### **Property Tax Allocation**

• State reimbursement for homestead and 10% and 2.5% rollback credits.

### **All other Revenues**

• TIF payments, interest, miscellaneous receipts

### **All Other Financing Sources**

- Sale of Fixed Assets
- Refund of Prior Year's Expenditures



### **Revenue listed on the Five Year Forecast**

		F	ebruary,2023					
		Actual			FORECAS	STED		
Fiscal Year:	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026	2027
Revenue:								
1.010 - General Property Tax (Real Estate)	38,115,848	38,995,575	36,251,789	36,646,285	37,148,829	37,563,816	37,808,114	38,157,036
1.020 - Public Utility Personal Property		-	3,358,604	3,361,046	3,519,956	3,666,656	3,813,356	3,960,057
1.030 - Income Tax		-	-	-	-	-	-	
1.035 - Unrestricted Grants-in-Aid	23,353,244	24,009,366	23,136,125	22,959,015	22,965,269	23,080,663	23,095,611	23,306,982
1.040 - Restricted Grants-in-Aid	540,092	647,889	2,593,665	2,528,278	2,602,928	2,558,550	2,613,490	2,528,132
1.050 - Property Tax Allocation	4,497,378	4,500,711	4,514,241	4,536,276	4,587,933	4,632,644	4,648,625	4,679,749
1.060 - All Other Operating Revenues	7,516,005	7,752,868	5,779,806	8,184,806	6,935,069	6,912,187	7,045,274	7,181,024
1.070 - Total Revenue	74,022,567	75,906,409	75,634,229	78,215,706	77,759,984	78,414,516	79,024,470	79,812,980
Other Financing Sources:								
2.010 - Proceeds from Sale of Notes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2.020 - State Emergency Loans and Adv		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2.040 - Operating Transfers-In	27,458	777	-	-			-	
2.050 - Advances-In		-	150,000	-	-	-	-	-
2.060 - All Other Financing Sources	25,621	604,463	20,202	20,202	20,202	20,202	20,202	20,202
2.070 - Total Other Financing Sources	53,079	605,240	170,202	20,202	20,202	20,202	20,202	20,202

#### Milford Exempted Village School District

Five Year Forecast



# How Milford Schools are Funded

### State Foundation Payments - Bimonthly

#### February #2 Payment, Data as of 02/06/2023

Name: Milford Exempted Village		County:	Clermont			IRN: 04550
		USAS	Annual	Year to Date	Balance	Bi-monthl
Description		Code	Amount	Prior to Payment	Prior to Payment	Paymer
State Support						
Base Cost		3110	15,605,832.10	9,787,614.59	5,818,217.51	646,468.6
Base Cost - Student Wellness and Success		3218	792,487.58	497,029.74	295,457.82	32,828.6
Targeted Assistance		3110	668,717.01	453,224.88	215,492.15	23,943.5
Special Education		3110	1,708,929.58	1,085,018.73	623,910.85	69,323.4
Disadvantaged Pupil Impact Aid (DPIA)		3211	55,878.45	38,203.95	19,672.50	2,185.8
English Learners		3217	27,098.95	16,635.25	10,463.70	1,430.7
Gifted		3216	324,768.59	204,105.27	120,663.32	13,407.0
Career Technical Education		3215	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.0
Temporary Transitional Aid Guarantee		3110	1,532,390.84	1,110,625.51	421,765.33	46,862.8
Supplemental Targeted Assistance		3110	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.0
Transportation		3110	1,893,556.15	1,183,472.59	710,083.56	78,898.
Formula Transition Supplement		3110	415,239.29	373,140.65	42,098.64	4,677.0
Preschool Special Education		3110	528,561.68	321,472.70	207,088.98	30,901.7
Special Education Transportation		3110	428,097.05	271,552.10	154,544.95	17,171.6
Total State Support			23,979,555.25	15,340,095.94	8,639,459.31	968,099.8
Transfers						
Educational Service Center		****	-41,626.00	-25,969.44	-15,656.56	-1,739.0
Other Adjustments - Positive		****	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.0
Other Adjustments - Negative		****	-170,892.96	-107,748.17	-63,146.79	-7,016.3
Total Transfers			-212,518.96	-133,715.61	-78,803.35	-8,755.9
Adjustments						
JV98 Excess Cost (SF-8) Positive	(Pos)	122X	68,210.70	0.00	68,210.70	68,210.7
JV99 Excess Cost (SF-8) Negative	(Neg)	474	-22,231.62	0.00	-22,231.62	-2,470.
JV50 Tuition (SF-14)	(Pos)	1221	121,045.72	121,045.72	0.00	0.0
JV51 Tuition (SF-14) Expenditure	(Neg)	471	-146,138.59	-68,838.67	-77,299.92	-8,588.8
JV52 Tuition (SF-14)	(Pos)	1223	50,830.76	50,830.76	0.00	0.0
JV53 Tuition (SF-14) Expenditure	(Neg)	475	-62,926.71	-30,008.62	-32,920.09	-3,657.7
JV09 College Credit Plus Deduction		479	-110,008.46	-31,849.72	-78,156.74	-8,684.0
Total Adjustments			-101,218.20	41,181.47	-142,397.67	44,809.7
Total Payment Before Retirements			23,665,820.09	15,247,561.80	8,418,258.29	1,004,153.7
Retirement System						
School Employees Retirement		221	-1,692,000.00	-1,057,500.00	-634,500.00	-70,500.0
State Teachers Retirement		211	-4,741,056.00		1,777,896.00	-197,544.0
Total Retirements			-8,433,058.00	-4,020,660.00	2,412,396.00	-268,044.0

#### **EMIS** - Educational Management Information System



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Total Payment		17,232,764.09	11,226,901.80	6,005,862.29	736,109.72



# **Federal Funding & Grants**



### **CCIP - Comprehensive Continuous Improvement Plan**

Milford Exempted Village (045500) - Clermont County - 2023

2023 ✔ All Approved Applications ✔

Fiscal Year	Differentiated Support Status
2023	
2022	Moderate C

Entitlement Funding Application	Revision	Status	Status Date
ARPESSER	1	Final Approved	11/29/2022
ARPESSER	0	Final Approved	11/15/2022
ARP IDEA	0	Final Approved	11/15/2022
ARP-Homeless round II	1	Final Approved	1/31/2023
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### **CCIP - COVID Relief Funds**

#### **Curriculum & Instruction**

- Academic Supports
- Programs to Address Learning Loss

#### Safety & Cleaning

- Cleaning Equipment
- Desk Barriers
- HVAC
- Transportation

#### Technology

- Academic Supports
- Equipment

#### Personnel

- FY21 Online Teachers
- Building Substitutes
- Mental Health Services
- Programs to Address Learning Loss

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### **CCIP - COVID Relief Funds in Perspective**

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Base Forecast From 5Cast	Fiscal Year 2023
Beginning Balance	40,920,182
+ Revenue	78,235,908
+ Proposed Renew/Replacement Levies	-
+ Proposed New Levies	-
- Expenditures	83,474,569

\$7,004,086/\$83,474,569 = 8.4%



### **CCIP - Comprehensive Continuous Improvement Process**

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## **CCIP - Comprehensive Continuous Improvement Process**

#### **Budget Summary**

Total

1,939,537,94

190.944.68

Milford Exempted	I Village (045500) - Clermont County - 2023 - Conso	olidated - Rev 1					
Budget Sum	mary Selection Criteria:						
	Funding Appl	lication: Consolidated	~				
	Application	Status: Active Application					
		Code: Object 🗸					
				View Budget Summary			
(Print) (Downl	oad Data]						
Object Code Grant Code	Salaries 100	Retirement Fringe Benefits 200	Purchased Services 400	Supplies 500	Capital Outlay 600	Other 800	Total
I.	522,220.00	143,000.00	38,320.00	64,392.83	0.00	0.00	767,932.83
II-A SEI	123,008.42	21,493.82	8,748.86	0.00	0.00	0.00	153,251.10
IDEA-B	1,253,964.94	26,450.86	15,000.00	75,477.05	0.00	0.00	1,370,892.85
ECSE	40,344.58	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	40,344.58

192.380.07

Title I - Improving Basic Programs Title II A - Supporting Effective Instruction Title IV-A - Student Support and Academic Enrichment IDEA-B - Special Education IDEA ECSE - Early Childhood Special Education

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### Why Not Shift the Burden to Federal Grants?

School Districts are tested on Maintenance of Effort (MOE). This requires MEVSD to spend the same or more from local funds each year.

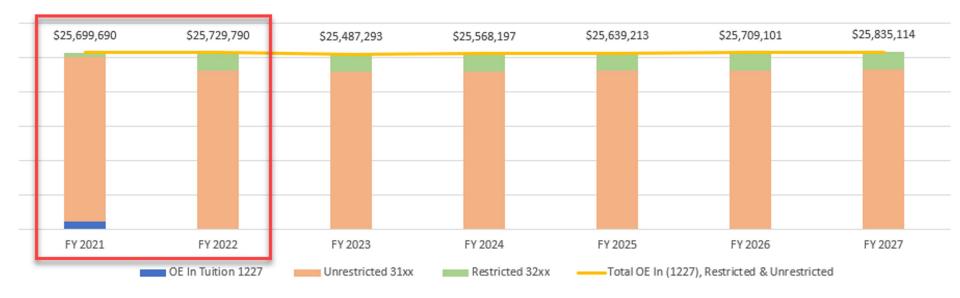
OE Comparis	son Data				
YEAR	ADM	BASE GFE	BASE PPE	EMIS FUND	DETAILS
2022	6,403.56	\$70,941,877.74	\$11,078.51	Expenditure Detailed Report	Revenue Detailed Report
2021	6,330.53	\$68,681,705.59	\$10,849.28	Expenditure Detailed Report	Revenue Detailed Report
DCAL/STATE	% OF FUND 598				
2210001/51	ATE %: 0.00%				
	ATE %: 0.00%				
OE Data Hist	tory				
	YEAR		GFE	FUND 598 %	UPDATE
	2022		\$0.00	0.00	08-23-2022 09:35
	2022		\$70,941,877.74	0.00	08-23-2022 09:35
	2022		\$0.00	0.00	07-07-2022 12:55
OF Status His	story (Past 5 Years)				
OL Status III.	story (rust s rours)				
YEAR		MOE Compliance Status		MOE Review Status	MOE Federal Waiver
2021	MOE_PASS		MOE_PASSE	D	
2020	MOE_PASS		MOE_PASSEI	D	
2019	MOE_PASS		MOE_PASSEI	D	
2018	MOE_PASS		MOE_PASSEI	D	
2010			MOE_PASSE		



# Fair School Funding Plan

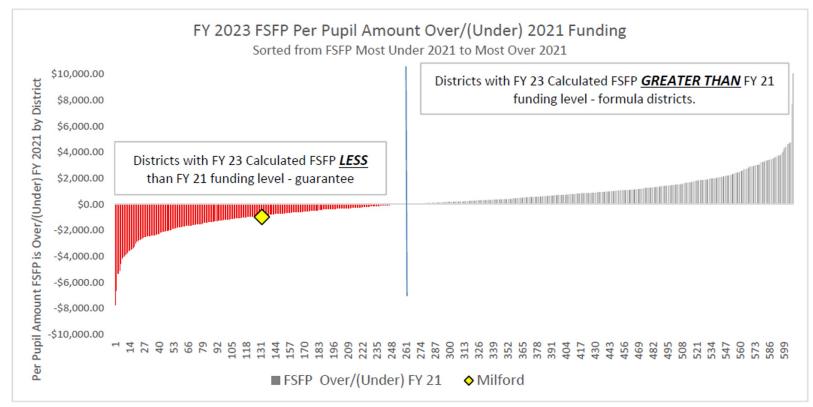


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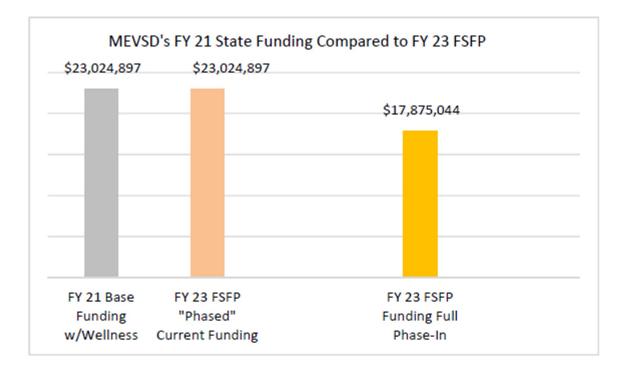


### A Guarantee District



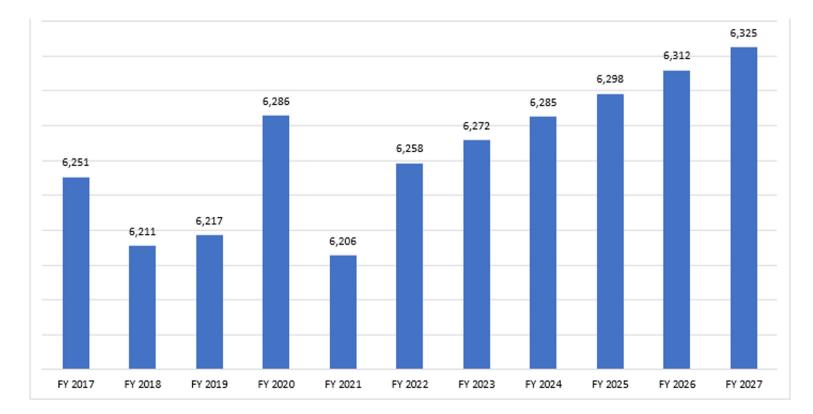


### What the Guarantee means to MEVSD

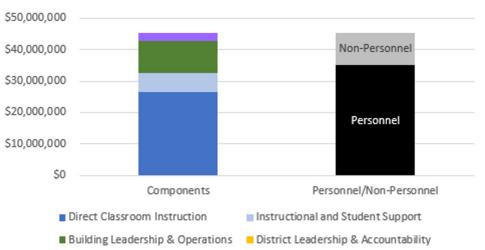




### **FSFP** and Enrollment



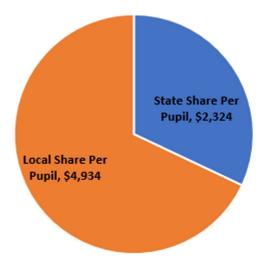




#### FY 2023 Base Cost



FY 2023 Total Base Cost Per Pupil = \$7,258



32% - State Funded 68% - Locally Funded

"Establishes an input-based funding model informed by professional judgment. The formula establishes a base cost methodology using student/teacher ratios, minimum staffing levels and actual costs. This will result in a unique base cost per pupil for each school and district in the state."





FSFP Base Calculated Cost PP FSFP Calculated Other Cost PP Milford Ex Vill SD Gen Fund PP Spending FSFP State Revenue PP (Funded Est.)

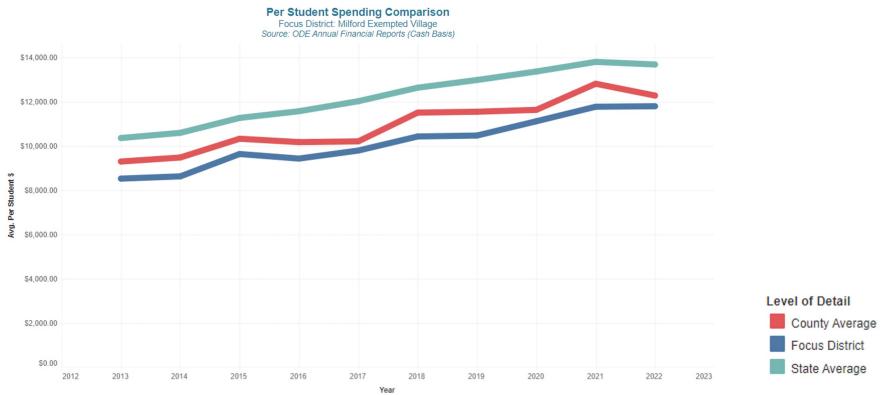




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### MEVSD Expenditures vs. County vs. State Averages





## **Performance Measures**



### **Expenditures & Performance Index**

The Performance Index measures the achievement of every student, not just whether or not they reach "proficient." Districts and schools receive points for every student's level of achievement. The higher the student's level, the more points the school earns toward its index.

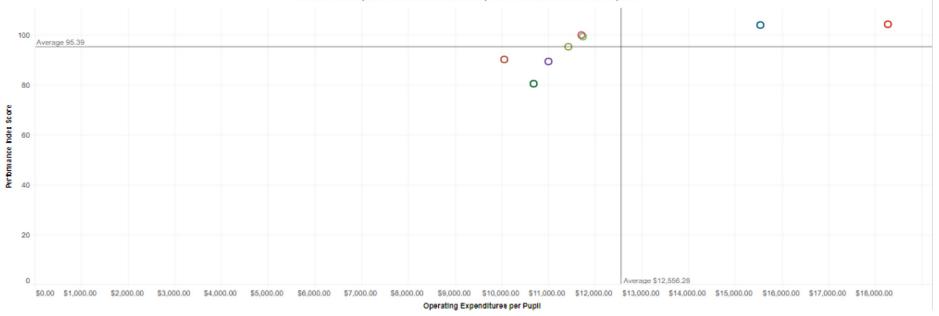


District	Operating Expenditures per Pupil	Performance Index Score
Oak Hills Local	\$10,058.83	90
West Clermont Local	\$10,686.89	81
Goshen Local	\$11,005.01	89
Milford Exempted Village	\$11,430.95	95
Forest Hills Local	\$11,711.14	100
Loveland City	\$11,741.06	99
Sycamore Community City	\$15,542.70	104
Indian Hill Exempted Village	\$18,273.65	104



### **Expenditures & Performance Index**

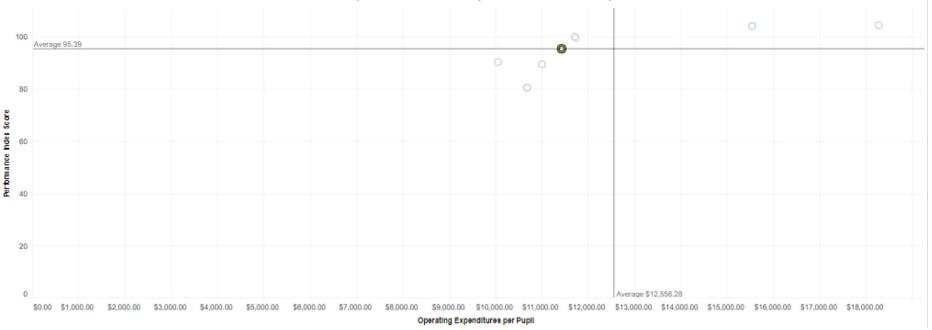
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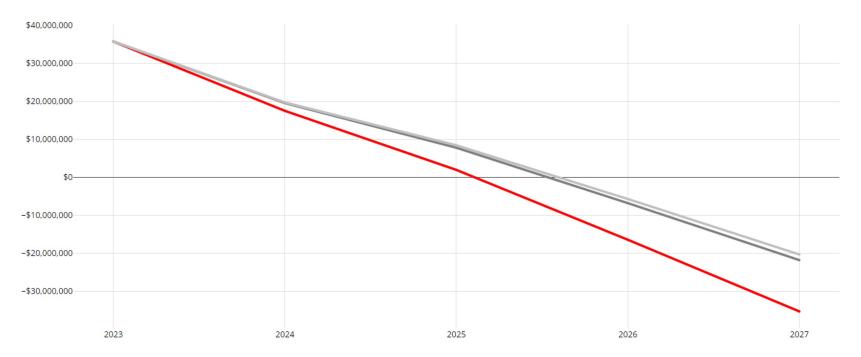
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### HB1 and HB920

**Projected General Fund Cash Balance** 



### HB1 and HB920

"I've raised those concerns," House Minority Leader Allison Russo, D-Upper Arlington, said. "I haven't seen the details. I haven't seen numbers, and I'm sure there will be robust discussions."

Mathews acknowledged the need for some transitional dollars to help impacted communities, but he also pointed out that local school districts, for example, could go to their voters for a new levy.

"Putting those dollars into a more accountable form of government for our taxpayers and our communities," he said. "I think that's a win for everyone."

House Bill 2: To declare an intent to direct state funds to projects across the state for economic growth and community development.

House Bill 3: Authorize an affordable housing tax credit.

House Bill 4: This bill deals with a particular kind of investing that factors environmental and social concerns into how companies manage their risks and







### Transparent / Responsible









## History of School Funding

Dr. Howard Fleeter of the Ohio Education Policy Institute has completed tireless research on school funding over the last 25 years.



## Key Take-Aways

- School funding is complicated! Multiple revenue sources on various schedules (calendar year versus fiscal year)
- Milford is considered a "wealthy" district by the State of Ohio and the majority of our funding must come from our community
  - ➢ 68% Milford Community
  - 32% State of Ohio this is called the "State Share" which is important as we think about future funding through the Fair School Funding Formula
- Milford is on the "Guarantee" this means our funding is capped regardless of enrollment
  - > Milford is one of the few districts projected to grow in Ohio
    - There is a funding gap of approximately \$4,000 per student using the current model
    - Creates a disincentive to have open enrolled students (students outside of Milford) and impacts "school choice"
- HB 920 means that school districts don't collect more money as homes appreciate and is one of the driving factors behind the need to go to the community for additional funds just to keep relative spending flat (adjusted for inflation)
- The Fair School Funding Formula is using outdated cost model (from 2018-2019) makes it impossible to keep pace with inflation

### What We're Asking Legislators

### ✤ HB 1: Keep school funding "whole"

- Creates a flat tax and reduces property taxes
- The reduction in property taxes would cost the Milford Schools community approximately \$3M per year
- > There are discussions about how to keep schools "whole" but no plan has emerged
- ➤ Rep. Adam Mathews is taking the lead on this legislation

## What We're Asking Legislators

- HB 10: Fair State Funding Formula: Fully fund the Fair State Funding Formula, ensure the State Guarantee does not go away and update the cost basis
  - Milford is one of nearly 250 school districts in Ohio that would lose money should the Guarantee go away.
    - We estimate the amount for Milford Schools to be more than \$5M per year.
  - As we think about the importance of school choice, the current funding model creates a disincentive for schools to accept out-of-district, open-enrolled students.
    - These students used to be funded at the same amount as Milford District residents (\$6,200)
    - Under the current formula, Milford Schools currently only receives the state share for them (\$2,324)
  - Bring the base cost up to date to match current costs to educate students, and make sure these costs keep pace with state funding.
    - The current base cost is estimated based on the FY 2018-2019 school year.

## What We're Asking Legislators

- Fully fund the Governor's recommendations, including 100% funding of SROs for public schools
  - The current recommendation by the Governor would create a cost-share for public schools in Ohio.
  - For Milford Schools, this would mean the State would fund only 32% (Milford's state share) of the cost of SROs in each building. Non-public schools in our district would receive 100% SRO funding.
  - > This must be above and beyond the guarantee from the fair funding formula.
- As we move toward Universal Vouchers, ensure that <u>all</u> schools are required to demonstrate accountability and transparency by following the same rules and requirements as public schools in Ohio
  - The only way for parents to make a real choice is to have all the data they need to make a decision.



### **Contacting Our Legislators**



**State Representative Jean Schmidt:** 

https://ohiohouse.gov/members/jean-schmidt/contact

#### **State Senator Terry Johnson:**

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## Thank you!

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